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Guerrillas Killed JFK: Garrison

New Orleans, May 23 (AP) — District Attorney Jim Garrison said today that guerrilla fighters shooting in a three-way cross fire assassinated President Kennedy.

His eight-month investigation also shows, Garrison said in an interview, that the CIA is concealing the whereabouts of the assassins "because they had been CIA employes."

The killers—anti-Castro adventurers—were helped by a conspirator who caused a diversionary ruckus in Dealey Plaza, Garrison said. He added that this man had been located.

Oswald "Not the One"

He said Lee Harvey Oswald, the man named by the Warren Commission as the lone assassin, was not the one who killed Kennedy.

"The President was killed by a bullet that was fired from the front," Garrison said. "That was not the only time he was hit from the front. There was a cross-fire situation set up, which involved at least two pairs of men in the front—apparently two men behind the stone wall and two behind the picket fence, which is a little bit in back of the stone wall.

"The role of the second man in each case was to pick up the actual cartridges, taken on the bounce so to speak, so that the cartridges could be disposed of as quickly as the guns, which were apparently tossed in the back of cars.

Rules Out Depository

"In addition to those in front, they had at least one man in the back who was shooting, although it is becoming increasingly apparent that he was not shooting from the sixth floor of the book depository."

Jim Garrison
New twist to 'plot'